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FOR INTERIOR DEPT. PLEASE PASS BUREAU OF MINES, USGS

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SUBJ: BOLIVIAN TIN SALES TO CAPPER PASS SMELTER

1. COMIBOL, STATE OWNED MINING COMPANY, HAS ANNOUNCED A SALE OF 2,000 METRIC TONS FINE OF LOW GRADE TINE CONCENTRATES TO BRITISH SMELTER CAPPER PASS (FOR ABOUT \$15 MILLION). LOW GRADE TIN CONCENTRATES WERE STOCKPILED BY COMIBOL AND OTHER TIN PRODUCERS DURING 1975 UNDER EXPORT QUOTAS IMPOSED BY INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL. TO MAINTAIN AS REGULAR AN INCOME AS POSSIBLE OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE DURING EXPORT QUOTA PERIODS COMIBOL EMPHASIZED EXPORT OF HIGH GRADE TIN CONCENTRATES ONLY.
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